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<p style="text-align: center;">APPLICATION ELEMENTS</p> <p><i>See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents</i></p> <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <i>(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)</i></p> <p>2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification [Total pages] 46 41 - pages description 1 - pages abstract 4 - pages claims 28 - Total claims</p> <p>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total sheets] 32 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Informal <input type="checkbox"/> Formal [Total drawings]</p> <p>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oath or Declaration (unexecuted) [Total pages] 3 a. <input type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy) b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) <i>(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)</i> [Note Box 5 below] i. <input type="checkbox"/> DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</p> <p>5. <input type="checkbox"/> Incorporation by Reference <i>(usable if Box 4b is checked)</i> The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.</p>	<p>ADDRESS TO: Box Patent Application Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231</p> <p>6. <input type="checkbox"/> Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)</p> <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary) a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Copy b. <input type="checkbox"/> Paper Copy (identical to computer copy) c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statement verifying identity of above copies</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS</p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers/cover sheet & documents(s)</p> <p>9. <input type="checkbox"/> 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement <i>(when there is an assignee)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney</p> <p>10. <input type="checkbox"/> English Translation of Document <i>(if applicable)</i></p> <p>11. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement PTO-1449 <input type="checkbox"/> Copies of IDS Citations</p> <p>12. <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment</p> <p>13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) <i>(Should be specifically itemized)</i></p> <p>14. <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Statement(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Statement filed in prior application, Status still proper and desired</p> <p>15. <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <i>(if foreign priority is claimed)</i></p>
<p>16. Other: claims priority to 60/172,024 filed 12/23/99 and 60/183,107 filed 2/17/00</p>	
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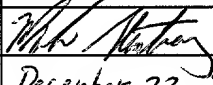
19. ☐ Small entity status is claimed

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